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PRESIDENT HAYES' errors in the distribution of offices have been vastly outweighed by his sagacity and decision with reference to the highest questions of national policy.—*Union Herald.*

GENERAL ALEXANDER, of the Louisville & Nashville road, says that the Massachusetts Railroad Commission has probably accomplished greater results than that of any other State, and without legal power to enforce its decisions.

VIRGINIA votes for county officers in May, but political interest even now centres far beyond that, about the state election in the fall. The debt paying Democrats have already called their State Convention for August 4th.

"Let us not discuss the debt question any longer," says the Richmond (Va.) State, "as one that is to divide us, but rather as one whose amicable settlement shall prove the cement to bind us all the more strongly together."

The proposition of Representative Townshend, of Illinois, that the date of the meeting of Congress be changed from the first Monday in November meets with general approval from the press.

The following amendment to the Burnside Educational bill, now pending before the House of Representatives, has been sent to members of Congress: "That no portion of the said fund shall be allotted to or used for any sectarian religious purposes."

The Judiciary Committee of the Connecticut Legislature are considering a bill for preventing premature burial. The phraseology of the bill is singularly curious, one clause requiring an examination to be made for the purpose of ascertaining "if life is extinct in a deceased person."

The many friends of Hon. John W. Mason, of Grafton, in this State, will be pained to hear of the sad bereavement that has fallen on him by the death of his only child, a promising little son. He died yesterday of scarlet fever—a malady, as we learn, that has been prevailing for some time past in Grafton and vicinity.

SENATOR EDMUNDS, it is said, favors an extra session of Congress, the immediate organization of the House of Representatives, and the appointment of a committee to go South during the coming summer and investigate the condition of affairs in districts where Republicans say that they were cheated out of their Representatives by glaring frauds.

A Wisconsin legislator has devised a plan for ascertaining whether the women of that State really desire to be invested with the privileges of voting. He has introduced a bill which authorizes and requires women to vote at the next general State election upon the question whether they desire to have the elective franchise conferred upon them, and to assume the duties and obligations of male citizens. Neglecting to vote is to be considered a misdemeanor and punished by a fine of not less than \$100 or imprisonment for not more than three months.

SENATOR NEWMAN created something of a sensation yesterday by introducing resolutions condemnatory of the course pursued by the Wheeling Register in regard to the publication of the proceedings of the body of which he is a member. The honorable Senator feels personally aggrieved at the course pursued by the Register, which paper for some reason has chosen to ignore the part he takes in the proceedings, or if it notices them at all does so in such a manner as to inflict a slight upon the Senator. We know not to how many other members the resolution introduced by Senator Newman applies, but presume that he is not the only member.

While such a course on the part of a newspaper is superlatively silly, and while it may very naturally appeal to the resentment of a member of the Legislature, yet the Senator's resolution does not give evidence of a large amount of self-control. We presume that whatever object the Register had in view in ignoring the Senator has been attained by the evidence furnished by himself in his resolution that he has taken it to heart.

The Republican National Convention of 1880.

Chicago Tribune.

The book of proceedings has been published and sent to the National Committee at Washington. This book is most valuable one in many respects. It contains the only official report taken stenographically during the protracted sessions of this great Convention. It contains the brilliant speeches made by some of the most eminent orators and statesmen of the country—among whom may be named President-elect Garfield, Senators Conkling, Logan, Plumb, Hoar and others; also the Hon. James F. Joy, William P. Frye, O. D. Conger, Emory A. Storrs, A. W. Campbell, Henry B. Elliott, and others. It also contains the remarkable debate in regard to the unit rule, and the action of the Convention providing for district representation in all future conventions of the party. This of itself is of an especial interest to every Republican. The volume also contains the names of all delegates and alternates who were members of the Convention, with their postoffice addresses. Another great feature of the book is the report of the great Illinois contest, with the spirited and exciting speeches of Senator Logan, the Hon. Emory A. Storrs and others. The report of the Committee on Credentials, of which the Hon. O. D. Conger, of Michigan, was Chairman, is also embodied in this book. In short, this book, which contains a great variety of valuable information other than that already mentioned, is one of the most valuable political text and reference books ever published.

They are to be sold by subscription, and can be obtained on application to the John B. Jeffery Printing House, No. 157 Dearborn street, in this city, at the very low price of \$2 per copy. The book is handsomely and attractively bound in cloth, and will be a valuable auxiliary to any public or private library.

A Cross Baby.

Nothing is so conducive to a man's remaining a bachelor as stopping for one night at the house of a married friend and being kept awake for five or six hours by the crying of a cross baby. All cross and crying babies need only Hop Bitters to make them well and smiling. Young man, remember this.—Traveler, N.Y.W.A.

CUT-THROAT POLICY.

The Worry Among Pressed Glass Men—Solebets Twenty-Five Cents a Dozen.

Our glass men as a rule keep their troubles within the circle of their trade, and are chary of giving information to the public through the papers. But just now there is a big worry in at least two branches of the trade, the pressed glass or tableware trade and the bottle. The troubles in the latter were referred to in these columns a few days ago.

On Saturday the writer had a conversation with a representative of one of the most widely known table ware firms in this city, whose goods are sold in the capital of Japan and in the shops of Sydney, Australia. Inquiry as to the nature of the disorder among the fraternity elicited the following information:

"With one exception the pressed ware firms of this city are working in harmony as to prices. But that one firm, together with two firms outside the city, are making all the trouble. The spirit of rivalry between them is causing simply a cut-throat policy. I am not at liberty to give the names of these firms. They make the same class of ware and equally good ware, and seem bent on slaughtering prices all around."

"Well, for instance, goblets are sold from the factory at 50 cents a dozen, and that affords just a fair margin, for under the most favorable circumstances these goods cost 25 cents per dozen for labor alone. Now think of these firms supplying the trade at 25 cents per dozen, and asking us to come to their figures. It is absurd. This Monongahela House waiting is gotten up mainly by these warring firms in order to keep up the fight."

"Why don't the Pittsburgh firms back out until these rivals perform the Kill-kenny cat?"

"I think that would possibly be the wisest course to pursue, but this will doubtless be settled at the meeting referred to. The present prices can't be continued, that's one thing certain. Now there's the item of lamps. A buyer was in our factory the other day and actually wanted us to sell a complete lamp ready for the burner for twenty-five cents. I informed him that the thing was impossible, and that the more lamps any firm sold at that price the poorer such firm would be for the transaction."

The gentleman asked regarding the meeting of the trade at the Monongahela House, but he could not, or would not, give the desired information, and the interview ended.

WHAT DO WHEELING GLASS MEN SAY TO THIS?

Pittsburgh, February 18.—The pressed and cut-glass manufacturers in this city have decided to call a general meeting of the glass manufacturers in the United States to establish a new schedule of prices. This conference has been rendered necessary on account of the general demoralization of the trade, brought about by the cut-throat policy pursued by certain wicked manufacturers in the Wheeling district.

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Immigration to West Virginia. DUCKHAM, W. VA., February 19. Editors Intelligencer.

Referring to your editorial in the INTELLIGENCER some time ago relating to immigration and copied by the Ohio State Journal, I would say that I have through the agency thereof already received numerous letters from persons in various parts of Ohio making inquiry concerning improved lands, wild land, timber, coal, etc., in this portion of our State, which I answer as correctly as I can. I am led to believe from the results I have seen of this single publication, that if the other leading papers of the State would join with you in a persistent presentation of our agricultural, mineral and timber resources, climate, geographical position, etc., that more could thereby be effected than by any other single method to induce immigration. Thus if in addition thereto we could secure proper legislation on the subject and the efforts of individuals in all parts of the State I feel confident that within a very few years we could secure a large immigration, especially from western Pennsylvania and eastern Ohio. I have learned from friends and acquaintances in Pennsylvania that there is quite a disposition among young men to come to our State rather than go west. They are young men of industrious and energetic habits, but by reason of limited means cannot purchase the high priced lands of the localities where reared. By joining with us they can purchase land at low rates, will be nearer their kindred and the homes of their childhood than to go west, and will find themselves located in a country and climate similar to that wherein they were reared.

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